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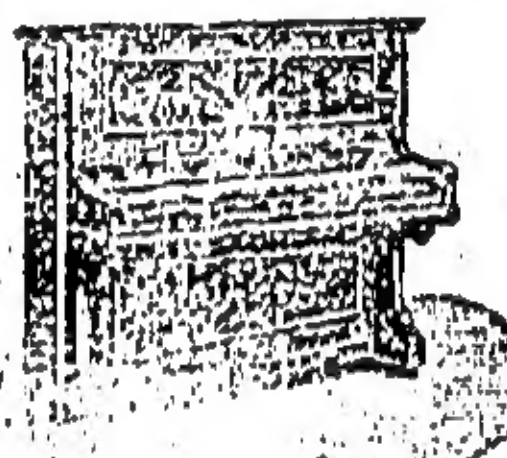
**WATKINS,
LIMITED.**

Chemists and Perfumers.

No. 66, Queen's Road, Central.

Hongkong, 1st October, 1901. [714c]

**THE
ROBINSON
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**BEST VALUE IN
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Hongkong, 1st August, 1901. [751c]

KELLY & WALSH, LD.

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**RUDYARD KIPLING'S MASTER-
PIECE.**

"KIM OF THE RISHTRI."

BEAUTIFULLY ILLUSTRATED.

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Hongkong, 14th November, 1901.

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To-day's

Advertisements.

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18TH NOVEMBER,

AT 9 P.M.,

BY

**MADAME AGNES
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Mr. C. H. F. HAY,

Mr. P. W. GOLDRING,

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Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1238c]

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By Order,

G. A. WOODCOCK,

Secretary.

Sanitary Board Office, 14th November 1901. [1249c]

THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, LIMITED.

FOR TAMSUI VIA SWATOW & AMOY.

THE Company's Steamship

"DAIJIN MARU,"

Captain T. Ogata, will be despatched for the above Ports, on SUNDAY, the 24th instant.

For Freight or Passage, apply to THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA, Agents.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1236c]

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A LARGE ASSORTMENT

XMAS CARDS.

ALL THE NEWEST DESIGNS.

[590c]

To-day's

Advertisements.

PUBLIC AUCTION.

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by
PUBLIC AUCTION,
FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED,
on
SATURDAY, the 23rd November, at 11 A.M.,
within the Rooms on the Second Floor
above their SALES ROOMS, No. 20,
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Consisting of:
IVORY CARVINGS, OLD IVORY and
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A Famous OLD DAIMIO'S BUREAU
with CREST, a CARVED PANEL and an
INLAID SCREEN of WONDERFUL
WORKMANSHIP, &c., &c., &c.
Open for Inspection in the Rooms above-
mentioned from To-day.
Catalogues will be issued on THURSDAY,
the 21st instant.
The sale of this collection offers an opportunity to secure specimens of Japanese Art becoming rarer every day.

TERMS:—As Usual.

HUGHES & HOUGH,
Auctioneers,
Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1246c]

THE ORIENTE HOTEL COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE SECOND ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be held at the OFFICE of the Company, No. 51, Calle Soledad, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th day of November, at 3.30 o'clock in the afternoon for the purpose of presenting the Report of the Directors and Statement of accounts to the 30th of June last. THE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 20th instant, both Days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
BENJAMIN, KELLY & POTTS,
General Managers.

Manila, 7th November, 1901. [1248c]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

THE Company's Steamship

"YUENSANG,"

Captain Rolfe, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 20th instant, at 4 P.M.

This Steamer has Superior Accommodation for First class Passengers; is fitted throughout with Electric Light, and carries a Doctor.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1229c]

STEAMSHIP "VILLE DE LA CIOTAT."

COMPAGNIE DES MESSEAGERIES MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from London and Havre, ex s.s. *Guadiana*, from Bordeaux, ex s.s. *Ville de Cette* and *Ville de Bordeaux*, in connection with above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on unless intimation is received from the Consignees before NOON, TO-DAY, the 18th instant, requesting it to be landed here.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Undersigned. Goods remaining unclaimed after MONDAY, the 25th instant, at NOON, will be subject to rent and landing charges.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 25th instant, or they will not be recognised. All damaged packages will be examined on MONDAY, the 25th instant, at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

P. DE CHAMPORIN, Acting Agent.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1004c]

"BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

S.S. "BENCLUCH,"

FROM LONDON AND STRATTS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence and from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 23rd instant, will be subject to rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 10th December, or they will not be recognised. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 23rd instant, at 11 A.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1244c]

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM MIDDLESBOROUGH, ANTWERP, LONDON, PORT SAID, COLOMBO, AND SINGAPORE.

THE Company's Steamship

"KANAGAWA MARU,"

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godown at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the goods are landed.

Optional goods will be carried on unless instructions are given to the contrary before 4 P.M., TO-DAY.

Goods not cleared by the 25th instant, will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. All ship-damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and Notice of same sent to this Office before the 28th instant, or claims in connection therewith will not be recognised.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1245c]

To-day's

Advertisements.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given that SCRIP CERTIFICATE No. 3715 issued on the 11th day of March, 1899, for TWO SHARES numbered 4491 to 4492 in the above Company standing in the Name of Mr. DONALD FRASER of Yokohama (now deceased) has been LOST, and should the same not be produced before the 2ND DECEMBER NEXT, a NEW SCRIP CERTIFICATE will be issued to the Executors of the said DONALD FRASER, deceased, and no transaction taking place under the said Scrip Certificate No. 3715 will be recognised by the Company.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.
HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE CO., LIMITED.
Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1247c]

REWARD.

A DOUBLE-CURBED GOLD BRACE-LET between the Peak and Murray Pier, Yesterday. The Finder will be rewarded on returning same to THIS OFFICE.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1250c]

FOR SHANGHAI AND TSINGTAU.

THE N.D.L. Steamship

"NURNBERG,"

Captain Ammon, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 19th instant, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE, Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1239c]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SHANGHAI.

THE Company's Steamship

"CHOYSANG,"

Captain Bowker, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 19th instant, at 4 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1242c]

DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY AND FOCHOW.

THE Company's Steamship

"HAITAN,"

Captain Roach, will be despatched for the above Ports, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARRAIK & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1241c]

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA AND ILOILO.

THE Company's Steamship

"PERLA,"

Captain G. T. Blaxland, will be despatched as above on WEDNESDAY, the 20th instant, at 5 P.M.

The Attention of Passengers is directed to the Excellent Accommodation provided by this Steamer. She is fitted throughout with Electric Light and is supplied with a Refrigerating Chamber.

A Doctor is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to SHEWAN, TOMES & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1237c]

INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR MANILA.

THE Company's Steamship

"LOONGSANG,"

Captain Weigall, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 22nd instant, at 4 P.M.

This Steamer has Superior Accommodation for First class Passengers; is fitted throughout with Electric Light and carries a Doctor.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1243c]

FROM HAMBURG, ANTWERP, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE N.D.L. Steamship

"NURNBERG,"

Captain Ammon, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature by the Undersigned and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before NOON, TO-DAY.

Any Cargo impeding her discharge will be landed into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Limited, and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 25th instant, will be subject to rent.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 25th instant, at 3 P.M.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

HAMBURG-AMERICA LINE, Hongkong Office.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1240c]

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "DUKE OF FIFE,"

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKO-

HAMA, KOBE, MOJI AND

SHANGHAI.

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL & Co., LIMITED, Agents.

Hongkong, 18th November, 1901. [1246c]

COTTAM & CO., NEW SCARVES and TIES.

Intimation.

**A. S. WATSON & Co.,
LIMITED.**

**FLOWER AND VEGETABLE
SEEDS.**

**FOR THE SEASON
1901-1902.**

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SHIPMENTS.**

**ORDERS EXECUTED FROM
FRESH STOCKS ONLY.**

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10lbs \$1.75

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**A. S. WATSON & CO., LIMITED,
THE HONGKONG DISPENSARY.**

ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841.

BIRTHS.

On the 10th November, at 13, Peking Road, Shanghai, the wife of LESLIE J. CURRIE, of a daughter.

On the 9th November, at Shanghai, the wife of J. M. E. PEREIRA, of a son.

On the 8th November, at 52, Broadway, Shanghai, the wife of WILLIAM COHEN, of the C.I.P.O., of a daughter.

The Hongkong Telegraph

HONGKONG, MONDAY, NOVEMBER 18, 1901.

REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.

THE AUSTRALIAN TARIFF.

LONDON, November 15th.
The composite duty on tea imported into Australia has been abolished in favour of a fixed duty of 3d on tea in bulk, and 4d on packed teas.

**BOERS RAIDING IN CAPE
COLONY.**

Further Boer raids have taken place in the South-west, and North-east of Cape Colony. There is a growing feeling of resentment against the Afrikaner Bond.

THE NEW GERMAN TARIFF.

The Berlin Federal Council (Bundesrath) has passed the new tariff, almost without amendment.

LATER.

SOUTH AFRICA.

**BOERS ATTACK COLONEL
BYNG'S REARGUARD.**

The rearguard of Colonel Byng's column was attacked by 400 Boers believed to be under De Wet's command. The enemy was repulsed, leaving eight dead on the field. The British had eleven casualties.

MILITIA FOR SOUTH AFRICA.

November 16th.
Altogether twenty Militia battalions are being asked to volunteer for service in South Africa.

**THE CAPTURED AMERICAN
MISSIONARY LADY.**

Every effort to procure the release of Miss Stone, the American missionary lady captured by Bulgarian bandits, has failed.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

MR. MASACHI NOMA is temporarily re-organised as Consul for Japan.

FISHING STAKES and stations licensing rules are published in the *Gazette*.

COTTAM & CO., FOOTBALL KNICKER.

A REWARD is offered for the return of a gold bracelet lost yesterday. See advertisement elsewhere.

H.M.S. *WATERWITCH* returned, to her surveying duties in Mirs Bay this morning, and will return on Saturday.

DENGUE FEVER is spreading rapidly throughout the Colony and is affecting both the foreign and native communities.

NUMEROUS TENDERS for the supply of various articles and the performance of certain duties for Government are advertised for in the *Gazette*.

THE KING'S EXEQUATUR, empowering M. Gaston Ernest Liebart to act as Consul for France at this port, has received His Majesty's signature.

VERY SERIOUS DAMAGE has been caused by a fire which, it is stated in a telegram received in Hongkong, broke out at the Oriental Hotel, Yokohama.

THE HON. JOHN THURBURN'S appointment as an Unofficial Member of the Legislative Council

THE CRICKET WEEK.

HONGKONG versus SHANGHAI.

The first day of the second week's play opened with glorious weather and, as the wicket had worn well, it was a batsman's day out. The two Majors were due to open the contest, Dyson with 13 and Dorehill with 1, to the bowling of Potter and Mann. At a few minutes after 10 a.m. the Shanghai valiants appeared in the field, the umpires being Serjt. Jones and Lieut. Edmondson and Mr. Hooper was scoring until the arrival of the Rev. Mr. Dexter. Dorehill took the first ball from Mann, who commenced from the City or top end, and the over contributed a single to the score. The wicket was playing very fast, but was true, and Potter got Dyson's middle with his fourth ball. Score 21-7-13.

The next man in was Bird, who was looked to to help up the total. Mann went on but was evidently not on the wicket, and Dorehill got him away to leg for one and Bird drove him to the off for three. But disaster was in store, as Dorehill was bowled off his pads with Mann's next. Score 22-8-2.

Cox followed, and with two such hitters as he and Bird some exciting cricket should be witnessed, but the bowling was improving every minute and with Mann's first Bird, in attempting to drive, was stumped by Weippert at wicket. Score 22-9-4. Three wickets in the first twelve minutes play augured badly for Hongkong and testified to the excellence of the bowling and fielding of the Shanghai team.

Preedy was next and took his first ball from Mann and bowled by hitting Potter, in his next over, to the off for one. Preedy was shaping well and his late cuts were exceedingly pretty. Both batsmen were taking chances in stealing short runs, but, as both are proverbially sharp on their pins, they managed to get home each time. But they did it once too often and Cox was run out. Score 23-10-6. It was great want of judgment that put Cox out and was unfortunate for his side, as both Preedy and he were getting set and the last wicket promised to be productive of many runs.

At 11 a.m. Hongkong appeared in the field and A. D. Lanning and K. J. McEwen came out to bat for Shanghai. Bird started bowling from the top end and McEwen's snick hit his second past Hancock in the slips to the boundary. Bird, contrary to precedent, started dead on the bowler and beat McEwen with his fourth and fifth balls, but no wicket resulted. Franklin commenced with the leather from the lower end and Lanning drove him to the railings for four. Hongkong's fielding generally was right up to their well known form but Beresford Ash at the wickets had not got into his stride and was not taking them as cleanly as Arthur did in the last innings. Franklin was bowling in his tricky manner but, as usual, was expensive, as every now and again, ones, twos and fours were forthcoming. Cox was at mid off ostensibly, but more often than not he was wherever the ball happened to be. McEwen drove Franklin twice to the boundary and 20 came up to the telegraph Franklin was pitching them well up and McEwen, with his long reach, was sending them away with hard drives. Preedy was, we were glad to see, placed in the out field as it was a great mistake of judgment on Dorehill's part to station this fine handler of the ball at square or long leg all day, as he did in the first innings. Gratix let one pass him at leg, and four by Lanning brought 30 up for 22 minutes play. Bird was bowling splendidly but Lanning's defence was too good and it was hard luck for him when Bird's last of his over struck him in a dangerous place, causing his retirement and Turnbull appeared in his place. Hancock replaced Franklin and slung his first down to McEwen and with his fourth, disposed of Turnbull, who snicked a fast one into the hands of Bird in the slips. Score 36-1-0.

Price next came out to join McEwen and Bird sent down an ugly one, but Price parried it well and cut him for one. Preedy saved a boundary from a hard drive from McEwen off Hancock that, strange to say just got past Cox at mid off, and Bird's next over was a maiden. One of the ground boys was fielding on the off side in place of one of the team retired, and brought applause out by the way he took a straight drive. The Hongkong's fielding was a bit above the average and it needed to be. Hancock's bowling was being slogged all over the place and Price again cut him to the railings, bringing 50 to view after 50 minutes play. The play was unevenful for a time, as both batsmen were very careful with Bird, and only hitting out at Hancock. Price was getting set and the Hongkong's knew what that meant for them, for the bowling was weak from one end, and Hancock with his fifteen yards run was getting off the wicket, and Price drove a full pitcher into the pavilion for four. McEwen had been batting exactly an hour for six runs when he got hold of one from Bird and drove to the railings, bringing 60 up. Both Arthur and Hancock saved boundaries from Bird's bowling but ones were coming and 70 went up. Price drove Hancock's fourth ball to the off and the Chinese boy, who was fielding as substitute for Gratix, made a splendid catch, as he was running backwards at the time and took the ball right over his head. Score 70-2-19.

Rose was next in and patterned McEwen who was still steadily plodding along, seeming to hit out and yet his score was only 34 after an hour and a half's batting on a good wicket. Hancock seemed to be improving and Rose could not get him away, and the ground boy again saved one or two hard hits. Bird was still bowling true and sending down swifts, although his action was slow enough for the batsman to expect only a medium pace. Rose got Hancock to the scoring shed for four, and cut his next to

the off for one, and the next two and cut the fifth to the railings, bringing 80 up. McEwen made a rather shaky drive over the bowler's head for one, and Rose finished the over. Hancock sent down a maiden to McEwen, who could not get through the field, Dorehill being particularly good at mid off.

In Bird's next, Rose, who was bravely dropping on loose balls, hit him to the railings, but nearly missed the next, as he meant to drive one out of the field but it only dribbled away to square leg. Rose was doctored however, as he drove to the on into the safe hands of Preedy. Score 87-3-16. Rose had by aggressive cricket made up his 16 in a short time but sooner or later he must have been cut by the way he was firing them.

Potter was next and cut Hancock's last for one. Beresford Ash at the wicket was frequently mulling his balls and was so improvement on Arthur. McEwen drove Bird to the railings and snicked another, this should have been taken by Ash, and 90 went up. Hancock was getting very loose sometimes, pitching short and then slinging one over the batsman's head. McEwen drove him to the stand and 100 up was the signal for applause. Potter was clean beaten by Bird's third, but it struck him on the arm and his wicket was saved; he reaved himself by diving the next for four. Cox missed a drive from McEwen but it was excusable as the ball jumped and 110 went on to the board. McEwen was not to see the morning's play out, as after batting for one hour and forty minutes he played one of Bird on to his wicket and retired after a first class display for 45—Score 110-4-45 and played ceased for fifteen.

At the resumption of play after fifteen both the two got out, Lanning and Potter, started batting freely but Potter overdid it and drove into Preedy's hands. Score 137-5-59. The fielding of the Hongkong's was still up to its high average. Mann joined Lanning and scored a single that was well saved by the ground boy and Lanning drove Hancock to leg for four 160 up. Franklin then went on at the City end and Mann hit him to leg for one. Preedy now went on at the lower end and received a hot one on the fingers but drove the third ball for four bringing up 170. Preedy's first over resulted in 32 runs being scored as he, as usual, had only one idea and that was to put them in as hard as he could regardless of length or direction. Lanning, who seemed none the worse for his injury was batting freely and driving his pet bowler Franklin for fours in each over, but he tried to do the same to Preedy and quietly placed it in his hands. Score 188-6-27. Farbridge next appeared with the bat and Mann drove Franklin to the railings for four, just to encourage him and repeated the lesson by driving the same bowler clean out of the field for 6. Farbridge placed Preedy prettily through the slips and then drove him over the wicket into Cox's hands. Score 199-7-41.

Mann had been hitting in slapping style and his 41 only took him 18 minutes to make. Stanion came out to bat with Farbridge and with a drive to the railings got 200 up. Again and again he did the same and 210 went on the board. Dorehill's judgment in keeping Franklin on so long both innings was open to grave question as at least he got one or two wickets he was expensive and, worse still, enabled the batsmen to get their eye in by full pitched baby ones. Beresford Ash was disabled in taking a fast one from Preedy and Clifton Brown went on at his place at the wicket and Bird replaced Franklin with the ball. His third was cut by Farbridge for four and all the on lookers thought he hit the fourth into Bird's hands but it was off his leg and nothing resulted. Farbridge did not seem to relish Preedy's fast ones as he was getting a tremendous pace on, but had not bowled a wicket yet while Bird was bowling as well as ever he had done. A quiet set in as neither batsmen could do much with Preedy and Bird and the fielding was smart and clean and Bird, at the wicket was a decided improvement on Beresford Ash, and Arthur at point was saving many a run. Preedy sent a maiden to Farbridge who did not seem happy in his mind, and Stanion twice drove Bird for four and 220 went up. Stanion drove to the on two of Preedy's next and 230 was telegraphed. Stanion drove again and the little ground boy took it and returned smartly to Bird at the wicket and Stanion was out. Score 231-8-30.

Weippert was in next and faced Bird for his first ball, and cut it hard to Arthur at point, who missed it. It was a difficult overhead, one-handed catch but was a chance. Preedy was repeatedly beating Farbridge, and at last clean bowled him with a beautifully pitched one that came in like greased lightning. Score 234-9-3. V. H. Lanning was the last bat and Stanion took up the willow to Bird and drove him rather feckly for one; Weippert drove Preedy forward and, doing it again, was beautifully caught out at long off by our own Cox. Total 239-10-7. Preedy should have been put on in place of Franklin much earlier in the game. He came out with an average of 4 wickets for 26 and was dangerous all the time. The little representative of China that fielded in place of Gratix was Cox's only rival in the field, and saved everything that came his way.

We were disappointed with Dorehill's Captaincy, and his fondness for keeping on Franklin so long unconcernably. Franklin's average was no wickets for 61, and yet he was put on time and again and kept on, although being slogged all way at once.

After a short interval the Shanghai team appeared in the field and Hancock and Clifton Brown came out to bat for Hongkong. The wicket had worn exceedingly well, but was inclined to be bumpy at the top end. Potter started the ball rolling to Brown, and his first over was a maiden. It was a relief to watch the batting of the two first men after some of the

form that had been seen, but the fielding was as sick as anything done by Hongkong. Mann at the top end was on the wicket and Brown was watching him carefully. The first four came from a leg hit by the last named, and Potter went on to Hancock and got him on the fingers with one that rose high off the ground. As usual at the commencement of an innings, matters were slow. A cut for four from Brown brought out the first 10, and he brought down the house by one of the prettiest straight drives yet seen on the ground, off Potter. Hancock drove Mann to the off for one, and Brown put him away to leg for four, but was clean bowled with his next. Score 21-1-15. Brown had been at the wickets twenty minutes for his 15 and seemed to be getting nicely set when Mann beat him.

Franklin joined Hancock, but the partnership was short lived, as Hancock, misjudging a fast one from Potter, was clean bowled. Score 21-2-4. In 25 minutes two of Hongkong's best bats had gone down for 21, and Beresford Ash next came out and received a bumpy one from Potter on his fingers. Franklin was going along very steadily, as the importance of keeping the wicket up was apparent, and runs would come in their own good time. Ash managed to grub one of Potter's out of his wicket and scored his 25th. Mann's first was a bye for two and the remainder of the over produced nothing. Ash neatly drove Potter for one, and Franklin scored two by a fast one off his pads, and drove Mann to square leg for four, and again to long leg, bringing 30 up on the board. Mann was bowling in a Saturday-nightish manner, sending down many loose ones to leg, and Franklin was taking full advantage of them in the work of the team in the field was so good that runs were difficult to get. Mann would occasionally get one past Franklin that caused a murmur of relief to go round the ground, when it was seen his stumps were still intact. Ash was batting better than we have yet seen him and surprising onlookers by his clean driving. Mann clean bowled Franklin with his third in his next over, as the batsman never saw it and played all round it as well as being late. Score 47-3-3.

Things were looking bad for Hongkong when Arthur went in, but he got Mann away for four and 50 went up. Beresford Ash hit Potter's right into Mann's hands, who dropped it, and the two batsmen stole a smart run from his next drive. The home side had been in for fifty-three minutes for 60 runs and Ash was fairly set, but the light was getting bad, and Mann clean bowled Arthur with his next, previously having stopped a throw in with the most prominent part of his person. Score 63-4-5.

Dyson was next to join Ash, who drove Potter for one and the latest man in snicked another for a single. Mann was tiring and Dyson cut him for two, and 70 went up. Dyson was batting more freely in the first innings and, reaching well forward, was scoring as he never would have done had he confined himself to his former rather cramped action. Ash got Mann away to the stand for four and finished what would otherwise have been a maiden.

Stanion now relieved Potter at the lower end and Dyson seemed to take to him at once, and put his third ball to leg for two bringing 90 up to view on the telegraph. V. H. Lanning went on in place of Mann at the top and to Beresford Ash and was right off the wicket, his third and fourth being wides and Ash not getting a hit at any of them. Stanion appeared to be bowling equally as widely, and Dyson cut him for two and ran a third on the overthrust. But change was coming, as Ash hit the next ball to Rose, who held it and closed a most meritorious innings for 36—Score 84-5-36—Beresford Ash, stand had been of great value he had stopped what had looked suspiciously like a riot setting in and had played dashing cricket right from his first over. Dorehill followed and played to Stanion, put him neatly away to square leg for one, and Dyson repeat to the off for a single. The bell rang for a finish and curiously the two not out men, Dyson and Dorehill were exactly on the same footing as in the first innings viz., 13 and 1 respectively.

HONGKONG 1ST INNINGS.

H. R. B. Hancock, c Weippert, b Mann	68
Lieut. Clifton Brown, run out	32
C. S. P. Franklin, R.N., c Weippert, b V. H. Lanning	23
Major Beresford Ash, c A. E. Lanning, b Stanion	61
H. Arthur, b Potter	0
Major Dyson, A.P.D., b Potter	13
Gr. Gratix, b Potter	0
Major Dorehill, R.N., b Mann	2
Lieut. Bird, stpd Weippert, b Mann	4
P. A. Cox, run out	6
Pie. Preedy, R.V.F., not out	2
Extras	10

Total 230

SHANGHAI—FIRST INNINGS.

A. E. Lanning, c and b Preedy	27
K. J. McEwen, b Bird	40
W. J. Turnbull, c Bird, b Hancock	0
Capt. Price, c coolie, b Hancock	19
Capt. Rose, c Preedy, b Hancock	16
F. W. Potter, c Preedy, b Hancock	39
J. Mann, c Cox b Preedy	41
R. C. Farbridge, b Preedy	3
W. K. Stanion, run out	30
H. H. Weippert, c Cox, b Preedy	7
V. H. Lanning, not out	0
Extras	11

Total 239

HONGKONG 2ND INNINGS.

H. R. Hancock, b Potter	4
Lieut. Clifton Brown, R.N., b Mann	15
C. S. P. Franklin, R.N., b Mann	3
Major Beresford Ash, R.V.F., c Rose b Stanion	36
H. Arthur, b Mann	5
Major Dyson, A.P.D., not out	13
Major Dorehill, R.N., not out	1
Extras	10

Total for 5 wickets 87

BOWLING ANALYSIS—HONGKONG.

	R.	M.	W.
Potter	2/3	7	59
Mann	10	3	78
McEwen	10	3	27
Stanion	10	0	27
V. H. Lanning	3	1	20

SHANGHAI—FIRST INNINGS.

Bird	30	11	75
Franklin	8	4	66
Preedy	94	4	26

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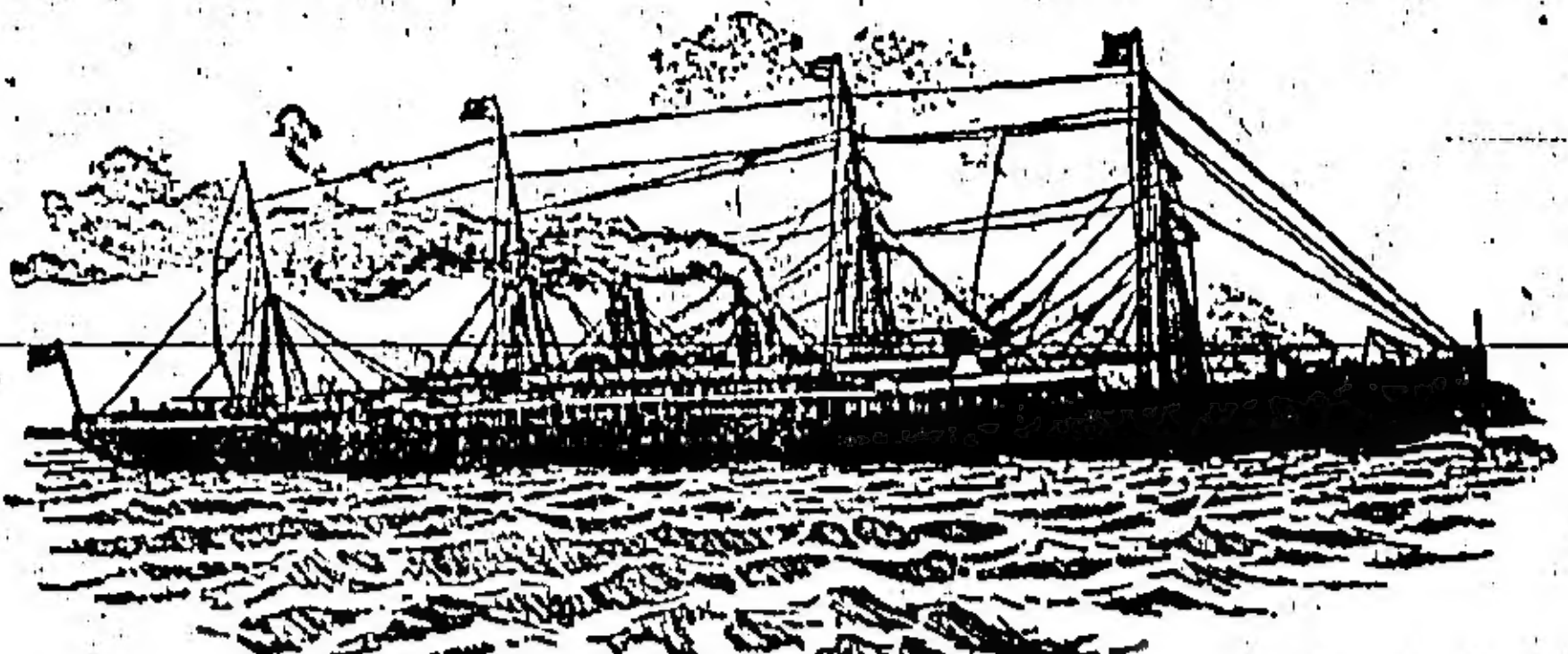
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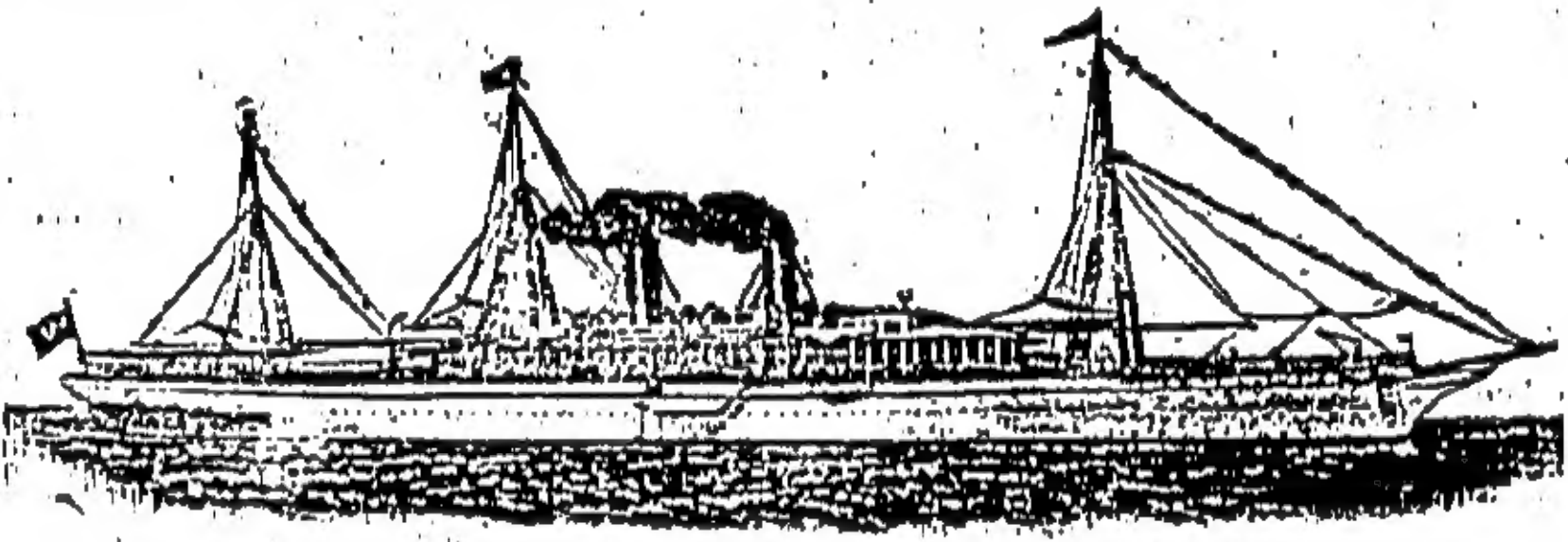
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Hongkong, 18th November 1901.

NEW HOSPITAL AT KENNEDY-TOWN.

STONE LAYING CEREMONY.

In the presence of a large gathering of people, including several prominent members of the medical profession, H.E. the Governor, Sir Henry A. Blake, G.C.M.G., this afternoon laid the foundation stone of the Tung Wah Infectious Diseases Hospital at Kennedy Town. Brilliant and refreshing weather favoured the ceremony, which took place in a spacious shed decorated with flags and adorned with many plants and blooms. The site of the new building adjoins the Government Infectious Diseases Hospital and, when completed, will be devoted entirely to the reception of Chinese patients, who, hitherto have for the most part been housed in makeshifts during epidemics. It is pleasantly situated many feet above the waters of the Harbour and faces Green Island and the mountainous district around Cap-sui-mun. Mr. B. Brotherton Barker, of Queen's Road Central, is the architect. He has prepared the whole of the plans and will superintend the work, which it is estimated will take a little more than a year to complete.

The new hospital will be in the Renaissance style of architecture, erected in red brick and, from a prospective sketch exhibited this afternoon, it should present a very imposing appearance. The plans were also on view and reflected the greatest credit on Mr. Barker and his assistants for the skilful and neat manner in which they were drawn. There was no difficulty in gleaning from them the details of the building. The main entrance opening into the reception hall will lead to the three ward pavilions constituting the main part of the hospital. The two administrative blocks containing offices, doctors' rooms, dispensaries and stores are on the ground-floor, and the nurses' dormitories will be situated on an upper floor. In each of the six wards it is proposed to place twenty beds, thus giving accommodation for sixty patients. In addition there will be a convalescent ward for another seven beds. At the back of the main building a mortuary is to be built, and will connect with the hospital by a covered way. The servants' quarters, cook houses, wash and disinfecting houses will be on the same side.

The interior of the buildings will be executed in modern style, and plastered with Keene's cement. Ventilation, lighting, and sanitary arrangements are to be of the most approved kind, and present-day requirements will be met by the structural separation of the lavatories from the wards, as well as in many other minor respects.

The memorial stone was erected at the north west corner of the building in one of the administration blocks, and in a cavity in its centre was placed a sealed glass jar containing a copy of a Hongkong paper and coins of the present year comprising a dollar, and 50 cent; 20 cent; 10 cent; 5 cent, a one cent piece. On the stone was the following inscription. "This stone was laid by Sir Henry Arthur Blake, G.C.M.G., Governor of the Colony of Hongkong, 18th November, 1901."

A detailed account of the proceedings will appear in our issue to-morrow.

GREAT FIRE AT KENNEDYTOWN.

ESTIMATED DAMAGE \$250,000.

One of the most disastrous fires with which the Brigade have yet had to contend broke out in Des Vaux Road early on Sunday morning, and before the flames could be mastered a huge double godown with most of its contents was destroyed, involving damage which is roughly estimated at between two and three hundred thousand dollars. The call was received at the Central Fire Station at half past five and with creditable promptitude the men had the engines out and steam up before they were little more than half way to the fire, which could be seen raging at the Kennedy Town end of Des Vaux Road. Dense clouds of thick black smoke was sufficient to enable the Brigade to form a good opinion of the seriousness of the outbreak, and to judge of the inflammable contents of the burning building. Fortunately the godown—Nos. 540 and 542 Des Vaux Road—was in close proximity to the water, so that a Government floating fire engine was enabled to lend great assistance in coping with the flames. By the time that the Brigade dashed up those on board were already pouring tons of water on to the buildings, and efforts were at once directed to preventing a spread of the outbreak. Hose pipes were lying in all directions on the Praya, scaling ladders leaned up against the tall walls of adjoining godowns, and foreign and native firemen were busily at work on the roof directing streams of water into the hissing and seething mass of red hot debris.

At length the heavy roof fell in with a crash sending clouds of sparks, smoke and dust high into the air. Most of the flooring was carried away by the fall, and only the bare walls remained surrounding a heap of flaming rubbish. Cases of matches and tins of oil exploded at intervals, and the contents of the building were doomed. In No. 542 there were between twelve and thirteen thousand bags of rice, the greater part of which was destroyed either by fire or water. The other side of the godown contained eighty-nine cases of matches, nearly ten thousand bags of rice, large quantities of cotton, hides, sugar, medicine and other miscellaneous merchandise, and it is almost beyond hope that any of the goods will be saved, as that part which escaped the actual flames was destroyed by the water or the great heat. The Brigade, who were commanded by Mr. F. J. Bodeley, Acting Captain Superintendent of Police, assisted by Mr. A. Mackie, Acting Deputy Captain Superintendent, Mr. J. W. Kin, horn, of Messrs. King-horn and Macdonald, Superintendent Engineer

GIRAULT for TABLE DELICACIES.

of the Fire Brigade, and Assistant Engineer Gourlay, worked in relays and men were engaged on the scene of the disaster throughout the whole of Sunday and late into the night.

With regard to insurance, No. 540, Des Vaux Road, which is owned by the Kwong Hing firm, of 12, Bonham Strand West, and was stored with between twelve and thirteen thousand bags of rice, valued at about \$78,000, was insured for \$10,000. The second godown, No. 542, is held jointly, the ground floor being held by the Jee Tek Seng firm, of 18, Bonham Strand West, and the upper floor by the Hee Yik firm, of 118, Winglo Street. The ground floor of that building and its contents were amply insured and the other floor and goods mostly comprising bags of rice, valued at about \$30,000, was insured for \$35,000. The offices with which insurance was effected are said to be the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, the Hamburg-Bremen Fire Insurance Company, the Union Assurance Company, and with the agencies of Messrs. I. On and Chnn On.

There are many rumours regarding the cause of the outbreak. One report says that it originated in the first godown, No. 540, where bags of rice only were stored, and another avers that it started on the ground floor of the second godown, No. 542, where no less than eighty-nine cases of matches were lying. A Chinese resident in the immediate vicinity states that he was awakened by a succession of loud reports and saw flames rising from the second godown opposite the window of his house. This man's statement is to a certain extent verified by that of some workmen, who state that the first indication of a fire was an explosion such as might have resulted from the ignition of cases of matches, the noise coming from the direction of the second godown. The police are investigating the circumstances and will probably be able to clear up the point.

THE LATE PRESIDENT MCKINLEY.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.—No. 681.

The following telegram to H.M.'s Ambassador at Washington on the death of President McKinley, and reply from H.M.'s Charge d'Affaires, are published in the Gazette:—

TELEGRAM FROM GOVERNOR TO BRITISH AMBASSADOR, WASHINGTON, DATED 18TH SEPTEMBER, 1901.

RESOLUTION.

The Members of the Legislative Council, on behalf of the people of this Colony, desire to express their horror at the atrocious crime which has deprived the American nation of a great President, and to convey through His Majesty's Ambassador at Washington the expression of their deep sympathy with the American nation and of their condolences with Mrs. McKinley in her bereavement.

BLAKE.

BRITISH CHARGE D'AFFAIRES TO GOVERNOR.

British Embassy,

Newport, R. I., October 2, 1901.

Sir,—I have the honour to inform Your Excellency that in accordance with the request contained in Your Excellency's telegram of September 18, I immediately conveyed to the United States Government the expression of horror felt by the people of Hongkong on the occasion of President McKinley's death, and the resolution of sympathy passed by the Legislative Council of Hongkong.

I have now the honour to inform Your Excellency that I have received a note from the Acting Secretary of State of the United States desiring me to assure Your Excellency that this brotherly action on the part of the Council is gratefully appreciated by Mrs. McKinley and by the Government and people of the United States.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your Excellency's most obedient, humble servant,

GERARD LOWTHER,

H. M. Chargé d'Affaires.

His Excellency

Sir H. A. BLAKE, G.C.M.G.,

&c., &c., &c.,

Hongkong.

AT THE MAGISTRACY.

November 18th.

NOT ELASTING PROPERLY.

Chan Tai, a foreman, of Hing Wo contractor's shop, was fined \$100 for neglecting to fully cover over, and weigh down with heavy timber, stone to be blasted, to prevent fragment from being projected into the air. The money was paid.

LIQUOR.

Pvt. Warren, of the R.W.F. paid \$3 for behaving in a disorderly manner in Wellington Street, and \$7 compensation for damage done.

DRINK.

For being drunk and incapable in Ice House Street Daniel Ross, a seaman, of the Star Coffee House was fined \$2.

MORE DRINK.

Gunner John Keating of Victoria Barracks was fined \$3 for being drunk and disorderly in Ship Street.

ALLEGED ASSAULT.

Sapper E. Howell, of the Royal Engineers, stationed at Wellington Barracks, was charged with assaulting Allah Bux, watchman, of the Hongkong Hotel on Sunday evening. No evidence was taken, and the case was adjourned till Friday next, the prisoner meanwhile going back to barracks. It is understood that a serious disturbance occurred during which the watchman was so badly injured that he had to be removed to the Hospital.

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A meeting of the above company was held at the offices of Messrs. Meyer & Co., General Managers, at 3 p.m. to-day. The Chairman having explained the position of the company, the following resolution was put and carried unanimously:—

"That the Company be wound up voluntarily and that Johann George Ludwig Schröder of Victoria in the Colony of Hongkong be and he is hereby appointed liquidator for the purposes of such winding up."

The remuneration of the Liquidator was fixed at \$2000. This was all the business.

LEGAL INTELLIGENCE.

SUPREME COURT.

CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

(Before His Lordship A. G. Wise, Acting Chief Justice.)

November 18th.

The Criminal Sessions were opened this morning before His Lordship A. G. Wise. The calendar comprises six charges involving the trial of ten prisoners. The Cap-sui-mun murder case in which three prisoners were taken their trials on two capital charges will be heard at ten o'clock on Wednesday morning.

ALLEGED FORGERY.

The first case to be taken was one in which Lau Man Chi was arraigned on five counts in connection with forging and uttering a promissory note. The following gentlemen were sworn on the Jury—Messrs J. Lee (foreman) V. H. C. Herbst, J. E. Lee, N. G. Marquis, P. F. da C. Prata, D. Bengmen and A. E. Asger.

Mr. G. W. Gegg did not answer when his name was called, and upon coming into Court some five minutes later was called upon and questioned by his Lordship regarding his being late. As an excuse Mr. Gegg said he had forgotten about attending until a few minutes ago, and his Lordship explained the inconvenience it might have caused, but as probably all the jury men would be called upon during the session he would say no more beyond advising him to attend earlier when called upon in future.

The Acting Attorney General (the Hon. H. E. Pollock) instructed by the Crown Solicitor (Mr. F. B. Bowley) appeared for the prosecution, and the prisoner who pleaded not guilty, was not represented.

In opening the case the Acting Attorney General said the prisoner was charged upon an indictment containing five counts, under the Forgery Ordinance, of 1865. All the counts arose out of the same set of circumstances. The complainant, a man named Chan Cheun U, was until lately a resident in Amoy, and sometime last year he met the prisoner in Manila. In February, of this year, the complainant came to Hongkong with the intention of starting in business. Shortly after his arrival the prisoner visited him at his lodgings and was told by the complainant that he was starting in business under the name of Fuk Chan Leung. On the 6th March, in company with the prisoner, the complainant visited a shop for the purpose of obtaining chops to be affixed to documents in his business. On that occasion four chops were ordered, the most important in the present case being a borrowing money chop, and one for chopping receipts. The shop was visited on other occasions and seven chops were ordered. The plaintiff started in business on the 21st March, the capital being \$3,000, to which complainant contributed \$2,000 and his partner the other third. The prisoner was engaged by the firm as a shop coolie at \$10 a month, and he remained in the service till May 1st, when the complainant paid him money on account of his wages and for certain reasons dismissed him. Two days later a letter was received from Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist, as solicitors for the prisoner, alleging that their client had paid \$500 into complainant's business. This complainant denied, but on the 25th May a writ was issued against him in the summary court, and the prisoner claimed from him the sum of \$520, alleged to be due on a promissory note. On the 7th June the complainant in the present case went to Messrs. Wilkinson and Grist's Offices, in company with the late Mr. Robinson, barrister-at-law, and inspected the promissory note. He at once saw that it was a forgery—his name and chop being forged upon it. The prisoner, however, persisted in the matter, and on the 13th June, the case came on before Mr. Justice Sercombe Smith. Judgment was given for the defendant (the present complainant) with costs. The crux of the whole matter, concluded Mr. Pollock, was whether the note was forged or not.

The evidence was then heard, and the prisoner, being found guilty, was sent to penal servitude for 5 years.

(Before His Honour T. Sercombe Smith, Acting Puisne Judge.)

ALLEGED ATTEMPTED MURDER. Miguel Hilario Roxas, was indicted for attempted murder and wounding with intent to do grievous bodily harm. Owing to the great pressure on our columns to-day we are unable to give details of the case.

TIENTSIN DAY BY DAY.

(From Our Own Correspondent).

TIENTSIN, November 5th.

To-day the AUTUMN RACES opened, and the Tientsin Community was enabled to enjoy for the first time the substantial pleasures of the New Grand Stand. This building, in artistic appearance and convenience of accommodation eclipses, I think, any building of its area on Far Eastern Race Courses, and the community has much to congratulate itself on in having an architect of such artistic tastes as Mr. Bellingham. There are many good sized buildings in Tientsin built by other designers, but none of more picturesque outline than this gentleman's construction, though some complain that solidity is sacrificed to art at his hands. However, most prefer the art, and the man who grumbles at our new Grand Stand must be a dyspeptic creature. Two wide flights of steps forming terraces lead up to the magnificent verandah enclosing three sides, on which opens a hall which immediately suggests banquets and balls galore. From the central hall, where 500 guests can be easily seated for dinner, doorways lead to the spacious bar-room, pantry, ladies rooms, etc., while below are the weighing, jockey's and mafoos' rooms, bathrooms, servants quarters, etc. The unique little judge's box immediately faces the stand, so that a fine view is had of all the finishes, and the only fault to be found with the whole place is that by strict rule the stand should have stood so as to command a better view of the straight. As we do not have race crowds like Newmarket however, this is a fault which will escape the notice of spectators for years to come. The stand is used during the summer somewhat as a country club, as it is the terminus of our only drive, and will undoubtedly be largely patronised next year. The racing this morn' is not showing anything specially remarkable, the wins being in the main a foregone conclusion, and lying mainly between two or three ponies spotted at the outset, while a large mediocre mob representing the balance of the entries keep pretty close together. Dr. Robertson has scored repeatedly off Touch-me-not which achieved memorable things in the spring, and Jim Watts has made a hit or two with a German owned pony of unpronounceable name. The Champions will be run to-morrow, and a fourth day has been added this year for the benefit of the military, and is confined to horses.

LI HUNG-CHANG

is better again, and the hemmings from the lungs has been stopped. It is of course but a question of a short time however. A Vice President of the Foreign Affairs Bureau having died, Prince Ching has paused at Paoingfu to enquire of the Court what he shall do about proceeding, as with Li so ill and this death, Peking is left without any very responsible official. He will probably be instructed to return to Peking.

A NEW TAX.

Before Prince Ching left he instituted at the suggestion of an official, a tax on carts and rickshaws for municipal funds, rickshaws 50 cash per day, and carts from Tls. 2 to Tls. 6 per month according to owner's means, hired carts being charged \$3 per month. This is a very wise adoption if the money is well spent, but, like every other source of revenue in China, it is likely to be misapplied, in fact not applied at all except to official pockets.

THE TEMPORARY PALACE

at Kiangfu is not apparently very substantial, as the recent rains to all accounts did very considerable damage to the roofs and some buildings collapsed.

It is a curious thing that

LI'S SERIOUS ATTACKS

always occur contemporaneously with some serious diplomatic question. A little while back we heard he was struck down just when a peculiarly stiff struggle with the Russian Minister about Manchuria was in progress. Now we hear that just before this present attack he was persistently applying to the Ministers to restore Tientsin City, and was met by the reply that Tientsin City would be given back "when the Emperor returned." It appears after setbacks of this kind Li always collapses. He cannot now take rebuffs with the sang froid of old, and ere his cunning comes to his assistance with some fresh scheme, yields to that worry and exasperation which affect Westerners so easily, and which in his weakened state produce a distinct disease.

MUNICIPAL REFORM

appears a great hobby with Chinese officials just now, as we hear Yuan Shi-kai is going in for municipal regulations, and in order to economise is disbanding some 3,000 soldiers, and reducing the pay of others. It is rather refreshing to know that Yuan is not going to meet the Court. Every official who for some reason or another has been degraded or merited the displeasure of the Throne in some way, is now rushing into Honan with offerings and gifts in order that his name may be honorably mentioned and perchance again restored to the lists of active service.

November 6th.

THE NEW JAPANESE MINISTER

is due here to-morrow, and some of the Legation folks are down to meet him. Nothing is known of him here, and Japanese Ministers seem to have come and gone with rather monotonous frequency of late and none of them make much impression. In a quiet way the Japs are creeping in and making a good thing of it, but so far there appears little danger of that remarkable "swamp" which was apprehended at one time.

THE PROVISIONAL GOVERNMENT.

is wisely erecting two fire lookouts in the Native City, one on the Dunn Tower, which Chinese gossip says has a spirit within it which no foreigner can overcome, and hence the Tower has not been pulled down. The spirit will have to put up with a secondary place now however, as the lookout may be frequently used this winter. Another one will also be erected at the Yamen. The signals will be by coloured lights at night and flags by day; the City being divided into ten districts with separate signals for each. Quite a tremendous number of

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EXECUTIONS.
have been taking place in Peking lately, 18 one day, 22 the next and so on, all the victims alleged to be brigands. Let us hope they are. The Chinese deal with these cases a great deal more drastically than the foreigners, in spite of the so-called severity of military rule, and the foreign occupation of Tientsin has never witnessed more than three executions in one day.

OUR LONDON LETTER.

(From our own Correspondent.)

LONDON, October 17th.
Very gradually, there appears to be spreading over the English people a vague uneasiness as to

THE AUSTRALIAN SITUATION.
in process of evolution. In the eyes of those who have Colonial experience there can be no doubt that this uneasiness is well founded, and the pity is that home-folk remain so surprisingly ignorant of the temper and sentiments of our people beyond the seas, that it seems impossible for them to form a clear conception of the points at issue in the new Commonwealth. The shipping clause of

THE ALIEN BILL.
has passed the second reading in both Federal Houses—it enacts that no coloured seamen are to be employed upon those lines subsidised by Government for carrying the mails, and is obviously aimed at the P. & O. The present contract has still some years to run, and it may be, that before it expires, the rulers of Australia, being less new to their office, may have learned wisdom; if not it is difficult to prophesy the result, for the P. & O. Co. is hardly likely to submit to dictation in the choice of its servants, who, whatever be their colour, are at least British Subjects.

THE IMMIGRANT BILL.
As to though much has been heard in England respecting the proposed disabilities as they affect Indians and Chinese, the interest of our Malay fellow subjects in respect of the pearl shell industry, has been entirely overlooked. Practically the whole of the diving operations are in the hands of Singapore natives, who are engaged for two or three years at a time, and then shipped back to their own country. P. sibly the knowledge that the industry will be ruined if this source of labour is entirely cut short, may give the Australian Government pause before it prohibits the Straits divers from further enriching Australia at a modest wage, and the risk to themselves of permanent disablement.

But the centre of interest is, for the time being, transferred to

THE TARIFF PROPOSALS.
which the Treasurer introduced in a moderate speech not long ago, and which have caused an unexpectedly vehement outcry from different quarters. Merchants assert that the taxes on raw materials will throttle all trade, and entirely nullify the duties on manufactured articles. Mr. Reid, leader of the Free-Trade opposition, objects to the proposals chiefly because they press so heavily on necessities of life, and on industrial and agricultural appliances. (Tea, 20 per lb. plus 20 per cent. ad valorem; Cocoa, 20 per lb. plus 15 per cent. ad valorem; Machinery, 15 per cent.)

The duty which is most criticised among Australian traders in London is the import duty of 20 to 25 per cent on silk or woollen apparel. Mr. Reid, by championing the cause of the agriculturist and the small trader, will obtain a sufficiently important following, to ensure a modification of the tariff, but the government is confident of getting it through Parliament without grave alteration.

For the purpose of securing the support of the Labour Party, the insertion of the clause for subsidising sugar grown by white labour only, to the extent of £2-10-0 a ton, is an undoubtedly smart move.

THE FOREIGN POWERS OF EUROPE
comment malevolently on the absence of any suggestion of a preferential tariff with the Mother-land, comment which will doubtless be further emphasized when the speech of Sir William Milveloy comes to be more fully reported. Speaking of the Allens Bill this gentleman, a Conservative Free-trader, remarked that he would rather cut the rope that bound Australia to England, than imperil the "whiteness" of the race.

While it remains uncertain upon which of the three questions now convulsing the Commonwealth, the Government will be defeated, there is little doubt that it will be unable to withstand attack at every point. Mr. Barton is not a great success as Premier, and is now possibly riding for a fall, it being understood that the Federal Chief Justiceship is the post which he especially covets, and which is certain to be offered to him sooner or later. An interesting and suggestive explanation of the refusal of a knighthood by Mr. Deakin, the distinguished Victorian member of the Cabinet, on the occasion of the Duke of Cornwall's visit, reached me by last mail. "When the struggle between ourselves and Downing street comes," he said to a friend, "I desire to feel quite untainted by favours received."

THE DULLER CONTROVERSY
is somewhat waning. The impression certainly gains ground that the *Times* correspondent never had the actual "surrender" telegram in his hands, though there is not, as far as I can ascertain, any evidence available to the public on either side. Soldiers of field-rank, no tank, and everything between, stand by the general. As a commissionaire who had served under him, remarked yesterday: "Buller is Buller just the same, and no one can alter that, there!" One item in the attack upon Sir Redvers, has somehow, escaped the reprobation which it deserves: "The most bitter condemnation, the sharpest

invenio has come from anonymous correspondents to the *Times* and other papers. Such action is surely un-English and savours unpleasantly of stabbing in the dark. To take away another man's reputation is occasionally a duty, when national interests are at stake, but to attempt such a course under the protection of anonymity is cowardice of the worst kind. It is impossible not to concur with the general view that Sir Redvers Buller's speech was unfortunate and ill advised, but sympathy cannot be withheld from a soldier whose professional actions are thus held up to obloquy by men not brave enough to come out into the open.

It was stated yesterday that, owing to **THE SHORTAGE OF RECRUITS** for the six army corps regarded by the military authorities as essential for the safety of the country, a modified form of ballot is contemplated for the purpose of filling up the ranks of the home defence army. The Colonial and Indian forces would remain entirely dependent on voluntary enlistment. A measure may be introduced into Parliament next session, so that if the occasion arise ministers may be already provided with the necessary authority. It is stated that a ballot so limited would not disturb the social or industrial condition of the nation. Another Service club rumour suggests changes of a far more drastic nature—nothing less than the permanent amalgamation of the militia with the volunteers—the Imperial Yeomanry being attached as cavalry to the new force.

A good deal of comment has been aroused by **THE KAISER'S GIFT** of a gold medal to Professor Virchow. It was confidently anticipated both in Germany, and throughout scientific Europe, that the order of the Red Eagle would be conferred on the great savant on the occasion of his eightieth birthday last Monday.

The Emperor, who is not to be swayed by public opinion in the matter of decorations, was however, unable to bring himself to entirely forget the Professor's politics in his learning. Wenzel the painter, is a knight of the Black Eagle, which makes the distinction conferred on the world-known pathologist the more invidious. At the great service given in Berlin to celebrate the anniversary, English science was represented by Lord Lister, who made one of the best speeches of the evening.

THE GERMAN TARIFF
has ceased to be of interest only to the Father-land—there is a growing opinion that it will, in the words of an Austrian statesman, "reduce the Triple Alliance to an historical phrase, in less than twelve months." Austria will decline to renew existing commercial treaties with Germany, if the Kaiser's government insists on the new tariff, and reprisals will speedily ensue. Italy is also thoroughly dissatisfied with the proposals, and the end of these things is easy to foresee. Commercial warfare cannot exist alongside of political alliance,—one or other must give place.

MAJOR GENERAL HADEN POWELL.
spent last week end at Balmoral, by command of the King. His Majesty personally conferred on him the C. B. and the South African medal. After being carefully kept for over a year, the secret of the General's comparatively small reward has just leaked out.

The late Queen, it is now stated, was extremely displeased with Haden Powell for issuing stamps, during the siege of Mafeking, which bore his effigy in place of Her Majesty. The Queen was not alone in the opinion that this action was presumptuous; and it was understood at the time of the relief, that the General received a tolerably severe wiggling from his official superiors. The public, outside the philatelist's, had however forgotten the indiscretion, until the whispers of a Court lady brought up the subject a few days ago.

THE HEALTH OF LONDON
is by no means satisfactory, smallpox, scarlet fever and diphtheria are epidemic. The total from all these sources is now 5,200 with an average daily increase of about 100. Smallpox has also appeared in two country districts. The Sanitary authorities have taken every precaution to prevent a spread of these diseases, several new isolation centres have been provided, while re-vaccination goes on apace. Among Indian "Tea-men" in London, the greatest interest is felt, with regard to the experiments now being made at Darjeeling, by the Indian Government bacteriologist Mr. Mann, with a view to establishing the cause of **FLAVOUR IN TEA.**

Mr. Mann himself, after exhaustive study, is convinced that variety in flavour is wholly or chiefly due to the action of bacteria, during the process of fermentation, in which case it is of course, to a large extent, controllable, and merchants may suit their supply to whatever may happen to be the taste demand existing in any particular season. This being the case, the result of Mr. Mann's experiments are eagerly awaited, and if they establish his view as incontrovertibly correct, it is intended to manipulate next year's crop, in accordance with the flavour preferred this season. China tea is certainly not popular among English drinkers, but perhaps by a persuasive education of bacteria, it may be found possible to remedy this unfortunate circumstance. It is not perhaps without interest, in this connection, to observe that great difficulty is often experienced in obtaining good grade-China-teas. Several Shanghai people have told me that the real article is not to be bought retail in London, any points to blundering somewhere. In two or three West End shops an execrable mixture (possibly all bacteria, and no tea) is labelled, "real China Tea," and sold at 1/3 to 1/4 per lb. The impression this concoction leaves on the palate is not likely to stimulate people who usually drink Indian or Ceylon teas, to experiment a second time in the Celestial article.

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SHANGHAI.	"WOOSUNG"	19th instant.
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MANILA.	"TSINAN"	30th instant.
PORT DARWIN, THURSDAY ISLAND, COOKTOWN, TOWNSVILLE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY and MELBOURNE.	"TSINAN"	30th instant.

* The Attention of Passengers is directed to the Superior Accommodation offered by these steamers, which are fitted throughout with Electric Light. A duly qualified Surgeon is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
AGENTS.

OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

FROM	STEAMERS.	DUE.
GLASGOW and LIVERPOOL.	"IXION"	20th November, 1901.
"	"DEUCALION"	25th "
"	"PELEUS"	30th "
"	"PATROCLUS"	15th "

HOMEWARDS.

FOR LONDON.

"MACHAON"	26th Nov., 1901.
"ACHILLES"	10th Dec., "
"GLAUCUS"	24th "
"DEUCALION"	7th Jan., 1902.
"PELEUS"	21st "

FOR LIVERPOOL (DIRECT), (Taking Cargo at LONDON RATES).

"IXION"	15th Dec., 1901.
"PATROCLUS"	15th Jan., 1902.

For Freight, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,
Agents, O. S. S. Co.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

THE Steamship

"LIGHTNING,"

Captain J. G. Spence, will be despatched for the above Ports, TO-MORROW, the 19th instant, at 3 P.M.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co., Agents, Hongkong, 14th November, 1901. [1237c]



AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM FOR

SINGAPORE, PENANG, CALCUTTA, COLOMBO, KARACHI, ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, FUME AND TRIESTE.

(Taking Cargo at through Rates to the BRAZILS, to SOUTH AFRICA, PERSIAN GULF, RED SEA, BLACK SEA, LEVANT, VENICE and ADRIATIC PORTS).

THE Company's Steamship

"MARQUIS BACQUEHEM,"

Captain Blaffer, will be despatched as above TO-MORROW, the 19th November.

The steamer has capital accommodation for passengers. Electric light. A doctor is carried.

For Information as to Passage and Freight, apply to

SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents, Hongkong, 8th November, 1901. [1114c]

THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, LIMITED.

FOR FOCHOW VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

THE Company's Steamship

"ANPING MARU,"

Captain S. Atsumi, will be despatched for the above Port, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA, Agents, Hongkong, 6th November, 1901. [321c]

EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR SYDNEY AND MELBOURNE.

(Calling at PORT DARWIN and QUEENSLAND PORTS, and taking through Cargo to ADELAIDE, NEW ZEALAND, TASMANIA, &c.)

THE Steamship

"GUTHRIE,"

Captain McArthur, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 21st November, at Noon.

This well-known Steamer is specially fitted for Passengers, and has a Refrigerating Chamber which ensures the supply of Fresh Provisions, Ice, &c., throughout the voyage.

This Steamer is installed throughout with the Electric light.

A Stewardess and a duly-qualified Surgeon are carried.

N.B.—Return Tickets issued by this Company to and from AUSTRALIA, are available for return by the Steamers of the CHINA NAVIGATION COMPANY and vice versa.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Hongkong, 18th October, 1901. [1168c]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA AND KOBE.

THE Company's Steamship

"AUSTRIA,"

Captain Feller, will leave for the above places, on SATURDAY, the 23rd instant, P.M.

The steamer has capital accommodation for passengers. Electric light. A doctor is carried.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents, Hongkong, 14th November, 1901. [1233c]

THE OSAKA SHOSHEN KAISHA, LIMITED.

FOR ANPING VIA SWATOW AND AMOY.

THE Company's Steamship

"MADEIRA MARU,"

Captain T. Sato, will be despatched for the above Ports, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th instant, at Daylight.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

THE MITSUI BUSSAN KAISHA, Agents, Hongkong, 13th November, 1901. [325c]

Consignees.

OCCIDENTAL AND ORIENTAL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE.

CONSIGNEES OF CARGO per Steamship "COPTIC."

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

GEORGE ECKLEY, Acting Agent, Hongkong, 12th November, 1901. [2]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM BOMBAY AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship

"CARINTHIA,"

having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

This Vessel brings Cargo—

From Trieste, ex S.S. *Cleopatra*.

Optional Cargo will be discharged here unless notice to the contrary be given immediately.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 19th instant, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 19th instant, will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents, Hongkong, 13th November, 1901. [1197c]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM KOBE.

THE Steamship

"MARQUIS BACQUEHEM,"

having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the Office of the Undersigned before Noon, on the 21st instant, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the 21st instant, will be subject to rent.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

SANDER, WIELER & Co., Agents, Hongkong, 14th November, 1901. [1114c]

AUSTRIAN LLOYD'S STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship

"GLENGARRY,"

having arrived from the above Port, Consignees of Cargo by her, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark, and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed.

Goods not cleared by the 20th instant, will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

All damaged packages must be left in the Godowns, and a certificate of the damage obtained from the Godown Co. within ten days after the steamer's arrival, after which no claims will be recognized.

MCGREGOR BROS. & GOW, Hongkong, 14th November, 1901. [1073c]

NORTHERN PACIFIC STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STEAMSHIP "BRAEMAR,"

FROM TACOMA, VICTORIA, YOKOHAMA, KOBE, MOJI AND SHANGHAI.

The above Steamer having arrived, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside.

Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense.

DODWELL & Co., LIMITED, Agents, Hongkong, 15th November, 1901. [4]

Intimations.

NEW VICTORIA HOTEL.

ROTISSERIE.

Meats a la Carte.

CHOPS, STEAKS, etc., at any time, between 7.30 a.m. and 11 p.m.

Monthly Tiffin at Moderate Rates.

Madar & Farmer, Proprietors, Hongkong, 2nd September, 1901. [958c]

LEVY HERMANOS.

DIAMOND MERCHANTS, JEWELLERS AND WATCHMAKERS.

EASTMAN'S KODAKS AND FILMS.

Sole Agents for "OMEGA" WATCHES.

"OMEGA" is the best, "THREE YEARS" guarantee given to every purchaser.

40, QUEEN'S ROAD, Watson's Building, Hongkong, 30th April, 1902. [41]

Intimations.

NEW GOODS.

PLENTY

HAND.

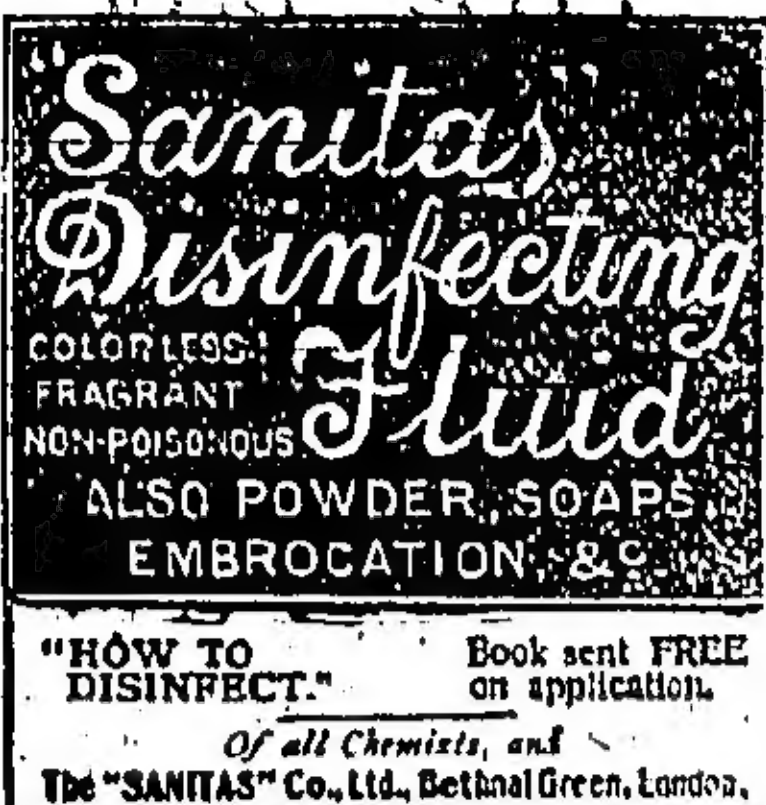
D. NOMA, No. 12, Beaconsfield Arcade, Opposite the City Hall, Hongkong, 30th April, 1902. [41]

Intimations.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

I REG to inform my Patrons and Public Generally that I have REMOVED my Stores from No. 13 to No. 5, D'AGUILAR STREET.

H. RUTTONJEE, 5, D'Aguiar Street, Hongkong, 27th April, 1902. [34]



NOTICE.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR DEBTS.

Neither the CAPTAIN, the AGENTS, nor the OWNERS will be RESPONSIBLE for any DEBT contracted by the Officers or the Crews of the following Vessel during her stay in Hongkong Harbour—

CELESTE BURRILL, British ship, Jeffrey.—Order

HELEN H. WYMAN, American ship, Vanhous.

—A. Arnold, Kaitberg & Co.

THE REGATTA.

The following are the crews picked for the German Cup—

Kornblume. Lark. Rose.

F. D. Bain. L. A. Rose. N. H. Alves.

F. M. R. Pereira. G. H. Ruby. A. E. Asger.

A. Humphreys. A. Loureiro. J. Millar.

A. E. Alves. A. A. Alves. J. H. R. Hance.

(Capt.) (Capt.) (Capt.)

C. M. Alves. H. W. Sayer. F. W. White.

(Cox.) (Cox.) (Cox.)

Thistle. Shamrock.

H. A. Seth. M. E. Asger.

C. Sherrington. C. Humphreys.

R. Lapsley. A. J. MacKie.

C. E. A. Hance, (Capt.) E. Herbst, (Capt.)

S. A. Seth, (Cox.) R. Henderson, (Cox.)

The following are the crews picked for the Lusitano Cup—

Shamrock. Kornblume. Thistle.

F. D. Bain. H. A. Seth. A. J. MacKie.

G. H. Ruby. A. E. Asger. J. Millar.

A. Humphreys. G. Humphreys. E. W. Carpenter.

A. A. Alves. E. Herbst. C. E. A. Hance.

(Capt.) (Capt.) (Capt.)

M. E. Asger. C. M. S. Alves. R. Henderson.

(Cox.) (Cox.) (Cox.)

Leak. Rose.

F. M. R. Pereira. L. A. Rose.

A. Loureiro. F. J. Engelen.

R. Lapsley. C. Sherrington.

J. H. R. Hance, (Capt.) A. E. Alves, (Capt.)

S. A. Seth, (Cox.) F. W. White, (Cox.)

Entries for the tub race close on 28th instant, and heats will be rowed on 30th.

All other entries for the Regatta close on the 30th instant.

AFFRAY AT SHANGHAI.

CHINAMAN STABBED.

A lamentable fracas attended by a very serious result occurred at Miller Road last night says the *Shanghai Mercury* of 17th inst.

It appears that three German soldiers, who where the worse for liquor, went into a Chinese house where some religious service was going on and behaved in a manner that the inmates resented, when one of the soldiers drew a knife and stabbed a Chinaman in the stomach and on the head. The soldiers were arrested by the Police after a prolonged struggle; they resisted most violently, in fact behaved more like savages than civilized men. Two other German soldiers tried to rescue their comrades and assaulted several residents who were helping the Police. The prisoners were eventually handed over to a Provost guard. The Chinaman, who was stabbed in the pit of the stomach and had besides two cuts on the head, was sent to St. Luke's Hospital, where he is now lying in a precarious condition.

It is so long ago that a street brawl of the kind occurred that the ever-present danger of soldiers being allowed to go about armed when on duty has been completely lost sight of, but it is to be hoped that after last night's occurrence the Council would make further efforts to eradicate or at least minimise the evil complained of. We are sure the commanders of the different garrisons, if properly approached, will do their best in the interest of peace and good order.

PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR THE FAR EAST.

Per P. and O. steamer *Australia*, connecting with the steamer *Chusan*, at Colombo, from London, Oct. 18.—To Yokohama: Mr. and Mrs. Dawson. To Shanghai: Mrs. Dudley, Mr. and Mrs. Wingrove and child, Mrs. C. C. Clarke, Mrs. H. M. Bevis, Lieut. Hobson. To Hongkong: Mrs. and Miss Drew, Messrs. Ramsey Shields, Tullis, Mrs. Bremner, Messrs. R. C. Hunt, B. V. Layard, J. K. McLeod, A. C. Seymour, C. D. C. Bridge, W. Skunnard, Sub-Lieut. Strange, Messrs. R. Hunt, M. S. Radcliffe, A. V. Eldridge, W. H. Westcott. From Marseilles, Oct. 25.—To Yokohama: Mr. and Mrs. Walter. To Shanghai: Mr. and Mrs. Forbes, Capt. J. McKenzie, Messrs. Chain, Tsang, Dr. Park. From Brindisi, Oct. 27.—To Yokohama: Mr. F. W. Wakefield. Per P. and O. steamer *Java*, from London, Oct. 19.—To Shanghai: Mrs. Kerfoot, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Mayne, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Holliday, Mrs. Martin and children. To Hongkong: Miss Duncan, Misses Clifton (2). Per P. and O. steamer *Victoria*, connecting with the steamer *Zetula*, at Colombo, from London, Oct. 31.—To Yokohama: Mr. G. W.

Hughes. To Hyogo. Mr. Cordner. To Shanghai: Mr. E. J. Batty. To Hongkong: Misses Tabberer, Church, Codrington, Johnson, Jones, Aston, Hon. and Mrs. Goodman and 2 children, Misses Goodman (2), Mrs. Meyer and child, Mr. and Mrs. Clatterbuck, Messrs. A. C. Stewart, E. W. Rogers. To Manila: A. McC. Stewart. From Marseilles, Nov. 8.—To Hongkong: Lieut. W. Disney.

Per P. and O. steamer *Shanghai*, from London, Nov. 2.—To Shanghai: Rev. J. S. Adams and family. To Hongkong: Miss A. E. Bull. Per Messageries Maritimes steamer *Indus*, from Marseilles Nov. 17.—To Shanghai: Mr. R. S. Furlong.

Per Norddeutscher Lloyd steamer *König Albert*, from Bremen, Oct. 16.—To Yokohama: Mrs. Whitall. To Shanghai: Mr. F. Evans, Mrs. Hayward and child, Mr. van Buren, Mr. J. F. Dawson, Mrs. E. W. Hamilton, Lady Morby, Mr. and Mrs. Rowthorne and child, Mr. F. Sampson, Mrs. Bodeley, Mrs. Hurdy, Miss Dow, Mrs. Allen, Miss Mead, Mr. W. H. Boyd. To Hongkong: Mrs. Sassoon Benjamin and children.

Per Norddeutscher Lloyd steamer *Prinzess Irene*, from Bremen, Oct. 31.—To China: Misses Cooper, Peddar, Watney, Mrs. Kirsine and child, Mrs. Gear and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dempsey, Mr. Laing, Mrs. N. Cracken, Mrs. Paramore and family, Mr. and Mrs. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. Cameron and child.

Per Nippon Yusen Kaisha steamer *Kangawa Maru*, from London, Oct. 11.—To Yokohama: H. E. Mr. Motono, Madame Motono and son, Major T. Yamada, Mr. K. Amano, Major M. Watanabe, Mr. T. Takagi, Rev. I. Imai, Mr. Adachi, Misses P. Nishi, T. Hamada, Mr. S. Haba. To Kobe: Major J. Watanabe, Mrs. and Master J. Makeham, Mr. Watari. To Hongkong: Mr. W. J. Harrison, Mrs. C. Smith, Master H. Smith, Miss Lincoln, Mrs. W. Trigs. To Manila: Mr. Martin.

Shipping.

Arrivals.

YUENSANG, British steamer, 1,128, P. H. Rolfe, R.N.R., 16th Nov.—Manila and Amoy 13th Nov., General.—Jardine, Matheson & Co.

NURNBERG, German steamer, 2,663, L. Ammon, 16th Nov.—Hamburg 28th Sept., and Singapore 9th Nov., General.—Siemens & Co.

TAI CHONG, German steamer, 328, H. Ahrens, 16th Nov.—Hilo 12th Nov., Sugar and Wood—Meyer & Co.

ANNA, French steamer, 3,445, M. Sellier, 17th Nov.—Shanghai 14th Nov., Mails and General.—Messageries Maritimes.

SIAM, British steamer, 2,745, Binns, 17th Nov.—Shanghai 9th Nov., General.—McBain & Co.

MARCO MINGHETTI, Italian transport, 1,632, G. Santoro, 17th Nov.—Taku 11th Nov.

GLENFALLOCH, British steamer, 1,434, R. S. Bainbridge, 17th Nov.—Singapore 10th Nov.—General.—Joo-Teck-Seng.

DARDANUS, British steamer, 2,992, T. G. Steeves, 17th Nov.—Mojito 13th Nov., General.—Butterfield & Swire.

SHANGHAI, British steamer, 1,307, Sutherland, 17th Nov.—Penang 28th Sept., and Singapore 9th Nov., Coal.—Butterfield & Swire.

LAT LOCK, Spanish steamer, 185, Fabbagru, 17th Nov.—Manila 13th Nov., Ballast.—A. R. Marty.

SKORPENE, Norwegian steamer, 1,130, L. Fallesen, 17th Nov.—Bangkok 8th Nov., Rice.—Chinese.

FUSHUN, British steamer, 1,500, W. H. Lunt, 17th Nov.—Shanghai 14th Nov., General.—C. M. S. N. Co.

NOTANDA.

CALENDAR.

NOVEMBER.

Meteorological means based on fifteen years' observations to 1895.

Barometer 30.103
Thermometer 69.2
Humidity 65
Rainfall 1.302

TO-DAY.

WEATHER REPORT.

On date at 10 a.m. On date at 4 p.m.
Barometer 30.12 30.03
Temperature 72 73
Humidity 62 72
Rainfall —

TO-DAY.

Monday, 18th November, 1901.

Chinese—8th of 10th moon of 27th year of Kwang-si.

Sun—Rises 6hr. 15min.
Sets 5hr. 10min.
High water—Morning 6hr. 0min.
Afternoon 5hr. 30min.
Low water—Morning 5hr. 30min.
Afternoon 5hr. 30min.

ANNIVERSARIES.

1851—Death of the King of Hanover.
1857—Great Fire in Hongkong.
1866—Suez Canal opened in Hongkong.
1870—China's first arrival in Hongkong as special Ambassador, to explain the Tientsin Massacre.
1877—Kara taken by the Russians.
1893—Dr. H. D. Duder, German Consul at Canton, shot himself.
1897—Outbreak of cattle disease in Hongkong.
1898—H.M.S. *Formidable* launched at Portsmouth.
1899—Death of Lady Salisbury, wife of the Prime Minister of England.

TO-MORROW.

Tuesday, 19th November, 1901.

Chinese—9th of 10th moon of 27th year of Kwang-si.

Sun—Rises 6hr. 18min.
Sets 5hr. 10min.
Moon—First Quarter 4hr. 10min.
High water—Morning 6hr. 15min.
Afternoon 5hr. 30min.
Low water—Morning 5hr. 30min.
Afternoon 5hr. 40min.

ANNIVERSARIES.

1805—M. de Lesseps born.
1880—Collision on the Yangtze between the steamer *Kiangsu* and *Hanyang*, both vessels lost.
1884—Steamer *T. C. Hoek* foundered with all hands whilst on a voyage from Saigon to Hongkong.
1887—Terrible gunpowder explosion at Amoy; upwards of 800 houses destroyed, and several hundred lives lost.
1897—Immense fire in London.
1898—Lord Charles Beresford advocates the "open door" policy at Shanghai.

AGENDA.

TO-MORROW.

A. L. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Marquis Bacquehem* leaves for Trieste via Intermediate ports.

WEDNESDAY, 20th.
Noon—O. & S. S. Co.'s steamer *Coptic* leaves for Canada.
C. P. R. Co.'s steamer *Empress of India* leaves for Canada.

THURSDAY, 21st.
Noon—E. & A. S. Co.'s steamer *Guthrie* leaves for Australia, Tasmania and New Zealand.

TUESDAY, 26th.
D. & Co.'s steamer *Braman* leaves for Victoria, B.C. and Tacoma.
O. S. Co.'s steamer *Madison* leaves for London.

WEDNESDAY, 27th.
I. G. M. steamer *Bayern* leaves for Bremen.

THURSDAY, 28th.
Noon—T. Y. K. steamer *America* leaves for San Francisco via Inland Sea and Honolulu.

SATURDAY, 30th.
H. A. L. steamer *Marburg* leaves for Havre and Hamburg.
D. & Co.'s steamer *Kurdistan* leaves for New York, via Port and Suez Canal.

SHIPPING AND MAIL NEWS.

MAILS DUE.

Indian (*Kumsang*) to-morrow.
American (*America*) 20th instant.
English (*Chusan*) 23rd instant.
Canadian (*Empress of Japan*) 26th instant.
German (*König Albert*) 27th instant.
American (*City of Peking*) 28th instant.

The S. T. & Co.'s steamer *Denbighshire* from Middlesbrough and London, left Singapore on the 16th inst., and is due here on or about the 22nd inst.

The C. M. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Pingney* from Glasgow and Liverpool &c., left Singapore for this port on the 16th inst., and may be expected here on or about the 21st inst.

The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s steamer *Chusan* left Singapore for this port on the 17th inst., at 4 p.m., with the Outward English Mails, and is due here on the 23rd inst., at about 8 a.m.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s steamer *China* with mails, &c., which left hence on the 19th ult., for San Francisco via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland Sea, Yokohama and Honolulu, arrived at her destination on the 16th inst.

The Imperial German Mail steamer *König Albert* carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 28th ult., left Colombo on Saturday a.m., the 16th inst., and may be expected here on or about Wednesday the 27th inst.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK RETURNS.
Canton River at Kowloon Dock.
Kwanfung
Tacoma
Hans Mennell
Kongnam
H. S. S. P. S.
Lab-ho
Justin
Elcano
H. J. Albrecht
Huangshan
Formosa
Pittman Cosmopolitan.

THE SHARE MARKET.

LATEST QUOTATIONS.

(NOVEMBER 18th.)

COMPANIES.	PAID UP VALUE.	LATEST QUOTATION.
Banks.		
Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation	\$ 125	\$62 1/2 buyers
The Bank of China and Japan, Limited (Preference)	£ 5	nominal
The Bank of China and Japan, Limited (Ordinary)	£ 4	£0.151
The Bank of China and Japan, Limited (Deferred)	£ 1	nominal
National Bank of China, Limited	£ 8	\$27 sellers
Do.	£ 1	\$15 sellers
Marine Insurances.		
Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited	\$ 50	\$340 buyers
China Traders' Insurance Company, Limited	\$ 25	\$54 ex div. sellers
North China Insurance Company, Limited	\$ 25	Tsels 180 buyers
Yangtze Insurance Association, Limited	\$ 60	\$130
Canton Insurance Office, Limited	\$ 50	\$157 buyers
Straits Insurance Company, Limited	\$ 20	nominal
Fire Insurances.		
Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$365 buyers
China Fire Insurance Company, Limited	\$ 20	\$80 buyers
Shipping.		
Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Company, Limited	\$ 15	\$35 1/2 buyers
Indo-China Steam Navigation Company, Limited	£ 10	\$150 buyers
China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$62 sales
Douglas Steamship Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$47 buyers
China Mutual Steam Navigation Company, Limited (Preference)	£ 10	£10
China Mutual Steam Navigation Company, Limited (Ordinary)	£ 5	£5
China Mutual Steam Navigation Company, Limited (Deferred Bonus)	£ 5	£7.10
Star Ferry Company, Limited	\$ 10	\$24 1/2 sellers
"Shell" Transport and Trading Company, Limited	£ 1	£2 1/2 sellers
Shanghai Tug Boat Company, Limited	Tsels 100	Tsels 175
Taku Tug and Lighter Company, Limited	Tsels 50	Tsels 155
Shanghai Cargo Boat Company, Limited	Tsels 100	Tsels 140
Co-operative Cargo Boat Company, Limited	Tsels 100	Tsels 135
Refineries.		
China Sugar Refining Company, Limited	\$ 100	\$154 sellers
Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited	\$ 100	\$20 sellers
Perak Sugar Cultivation Company, Limited	Tsels 50	Tsels 72 1/2
Mining.		
Punjom Mining Company, Limited	\$ 10	\$4 1/2 sellers cum call
Punjom Mining Preference Shares	\$ 1	\$1 1/2 sellers
Société Française des Charbonnages du Tonkin	Francs 250	\$325 sellers
Queen Mines, Limited	Cents 25	4 cents.
Jeichu Mining and Trading Company, Limited	£0 18s. 10d.	\$48 buyers
Raub Allain Gold Mining Company, Limited	\$ 5	\$13 1/2 sellers
Olivers Freehold Mines, Limited A.	\$ 5	nominal
Olivers Freehold Mines, Limited B.	\$ 5	nominal
Chinese Engineering & Mining Company, Ltd.	£ 1	Tsels 9.80
Docks, Wharves and Godowns.		
Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$285
S. C. Farman, Boyd & Co., Ltd.	Tsels 100	Tsels 260
Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$97 sales
Wanchai Warehouse and Storage Company, Limited	\$ 37 1/2	nominal
New Amoy Dock Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$25 buyers
Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf & Godown Company, Limited	Tsels 100	Tsels 295
Land, Hotels and Buildings.		
China Provident Loan and Mortgage Company, Limited	\$ 10	\$9.75 buyers
Hongkong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	\$ 100	\$104 sellers
Kowloon Land and Building Company, Limited	\$ 5	\$35 buyers
West Point Building Company, Limited	\$ 30	\$65 buyers
Hongkong Hotel Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$139 buyers
Oriente Hotel Company, Limited (Manila)	\$ 50	\$55 buyers
Astor House Hotel Co., Limited (Shanghai)	\$ 100	\$280
Humphrey's Estate and Finance Company, Limited	\$ 10	\$14 sales
Cotton Mills.		
Hongkong Cotton Spinning, Weaving and Dyeing Company, Limited	\$ 10	\$15 buyers
Ewo Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited	Tsels 100	Tsels 47 sellers
International Cotton Manufacturing Company, Limited	Tsels 100	Tsels 32 1/2 buyers
Laou-kung-mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited	Tsels 100	Tsels 50 sales
Soy Chee Cotton Spinning Company, Limited	Tsels 500	Tsels 260
Yahloong Cotton Spinning Company, Limited	Tsels 100	Tsels 11
Tobacco, Cigar and Cigarette Companies.		
Alhambra, Limited	\$ 500	\$500 nominal
Philippines Tobacco Trust Co., Limited	\$ 50	\$50 nominal
Shanghai-Sumatra Tobacco Company, Limited	\$ 20	Tsels 35
Shanghai-Langkai Tobacco Company, Limited	Tsels 100	Tsels 337 1/2
American Cigarette Company, Limited	Tsels 50	Tsels 50
Miscellaneous.		
Green Island Cement Company, Limited	\$ 10	\$22 1/2 buyers
China-Borneo Company, Limited	\$ 15	\$38 sellers
A. S. Watson & Co., Limited	\$ 10	\$16 sales
Watkins, Limited	\$ 10	\$10
Hongkong Electric Company, Limited	\$ 10	\$13 buyers
Hongkong Electric Company, Limited	\$ 5	\$64 buyers
Hongkong and China Gas Company, Limited	£ 10	\$140 buyers
Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$177 1/2
Geo. Fenwick & Co., Limited	\$ 25	\$55 sellers
Hongkong Ice Company, Limited	\$ 25	\$186 buyers
Hongkong High-Level Tramways Company, Limited	\$ 100	\$280 buyers
Dairy Farm Company, Limited	\$ 6	\$30 buyers
Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limited	\$ 50	\$50
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	\$ 10	\$50
Bell's Asbestos Eastern Agency, Limited	\$ 1	\$1.10 buyers
United Asbestos Oriental Agency, Limited	\$ 4	\$9
Tebrau Planting Company, Limited	\$ 5	\$5 sellers
Universal Trading Co., Limited	\$ 20	\$104 sellers
Hongkong Steam Water-boat Co., Limited	\$ 5	\$82 buyers
China Light and Power Co., Limited	\$ 20	\$20 sellers
Robinson Piano Co., Limited	\$ 10	\$10
Manila Investment Co., Limited	\$ 10	\$10
William Powell, Limited	\$ 10	\$10 sellers

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STEAMERS EXPECTED.

VESSEL'S NAME.	FROM.	AGENTS.	DUE.
Kumsang	Singapore	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	To-morrow
America Maru	Shanghai	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	November 20th
Chusan	Singapore	P. & O. S. N. Co.	November 23rd
Empress of Japan	Vancouver	C. P. R. Co.	November 26th
König Albert	Colombo	Melchers & Co.	November 27th
City of Peking	San Francisco	Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	November 28th

We would direct the attention of shipping firms to the style in which "Steamers Expected" and "Projected Sailings" are now published in these columns and in so doing respectfully urge the managers of the shipping firms to give orders to their clerks to furnish this office, on the forms already supplied gratis, with the latest available information every day.

CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

17TH NOVEMBER, 1901, P.M.

STATION.	HOOR.	BAROMETER.	TEMPERATURE.	HUMIDITY.	WIND.	WIND FORCE.	WIND DIRECTION.
Wladivostok	2 p.m.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tokio	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kochi	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nagasaki	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kagoshima	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Taihu	1 p.m.	30.09	—	—	E	8	—
Taihu	"	30.03	—	—	NW	4	—
Tainan	"	30.06	—	—	NW	6	A
Koshun	"	30.05	—	—	NE	8	—
Pescadores	"	30.08	—	—	NW	8	—
Gutzlaff	3 p.m.	30.21	63	57	SE	2	by
Sharp Peak	"	30.09	66	68	NNE	2	b
Amoy	"	30.11	72	67	NE	1	b
Swatow	"	30.09	71	67	ESE	2	b
Canton	"	30.05	76	63	ESE	4	b
Hongkong	4 p.m.	30.06	69	53	E	4	b
Victoria Peak	"	30.05	—	—	E	4	c
Gap Rock	"	30.06	73	—	ESE	1	c
Macao	1 p.m.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Haiphong	4 p.m.	29.98	86	71	E	1	c
Manila	3 p.m.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Malate	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bacolod	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Iloilo	"	29.84	75	—	N	1	c
Cebu	"	29.81	74	—	NW	2	c
Cape S. James	"	—	—	—	—	—	—

18TH NOVEMBER, 1901, A.M.

STATION.	HOOR.	BAROMETER.	TEMPERATURE.	HUMIDITY.	WIND.	WIND FORCE.	WIND DIRECTION.
Wladivostok	7 a.m.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tokio	10 a.m.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kochi	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Nagasaki	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Kagoshima	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Taihu	5 a.m.	30.11	—	—	—	—	—
Taihu	"	30.07	—	—	N	0	—
Tainan	"	30.07	—	—	NE	2	—
Koshun	"	30.06	—	—	NE	4	—
Pescadores	"	30.09	—	—	S	4	—
Gutzlaff	9 a.m.	30.14	63	78	W	1	cv
Sharp Peak	"	30.14	66	66	SW	3	c
Amoy	"	30.12	63	83	—	—	—
Swatow	"	30.11	72	71	E	1	—
Canton	10 a.m.	30.12	72	62	ESE	3	b
Victoria Peak	"	—	—	—	ESE	1	—
Gap Rock	"	30.14	—	—	ENE	4	—
Macao	"	30.15	77	—	ENE	1	b
Haiphong	7 a.m.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Manila	10 a.m.	29.96	79	92	ESE	1	c
Malate	9 a.m.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bacolod	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
Iloilo	"	29.94	83	—	NW	2	c
Cebu	"	29.92	84	—	NE	2	c
Cape S. James	7 a.m.	—	—	—	—	—	—

On the 17th at 12.30 p.m. The barometer has risen slightly over the Philippines, and is inclined to fall on the China coast. Pressure is low apparently, in N. China, and highest over S. China. Moderate monsoon on the coast of S. China, and strong monsoon in the N. part of the China Sea. Forecast—moderate N.E. winds; fine.

On the 18th at 11.55 a.m. The barometer has fallen on the China coast owing to the existence of a depression over N. China. Gradients slight with the monsoon interrupted in the North, and moderate monsoon in the N. part of the China Sea. Forecast—moderate to light E. winds; fine.

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HONGKONG OBSERVATORY.
Monday, 18th November, 1901.

PROJECTED SAILINGS.

Destination.	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
Anping, S'ow & Amoy.	Maiduru Maru.....	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha...	Nov. 27.
Bremen & Ports of Call.	Prussen	Melchers & Co.....	Feb. 5, at noon.
"	Hamburg	"	Feb. 19, at noon.
"	Sachsen	"	Mar. 5, at noon.
"	Kiautschou	"	Mar. 19, at noon.
"	Bayera	"	Nov. 27, at noon.
"	Stuttgart	"	Dec. 11, at noon.
"	König Albert	"	Dec. 25, at noon.
"	Princess Irene	"	Jan. 8, 1902, at noon.
"	Prinz Heinrich	"	Jan. 22, 1902, at noon.
F'chow v. S'ow & Amoy	Anping Maru	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha...	Nov. 20, at daylight.
Havre and Hamburg	Marburg	Hamburg-Am'ka Linie ..	Nov. 30.
"	Suevia	"	Dec. 14.
"	Nürnberg	"	Jan. 6.
"	Serbia	"	Dec. 28.
"	Strassburg	"	Jan. 13.
"	Sambia	"	Jan. 28.
"	Ambrisa	"	Feb. 12.
Japan	Kanagawa Maru	Nippon Yusen Kaisha...	Nov. 22, at daylight.
"	Rosetta Maru	"	Nov. 23, at noon.
Liverpool	Ixion	Butterfield & Swire	Dec. 15.
"	Patroclus	"	Jan. 15.
London	Machao	"	Nov. 26.
"	Achilles	"	Dec. 10.
"	Glaucus	"	Dec. 24.
"	Deucalion	"	Jan. 7.
"	Peleus	"	Jan. 21.
London & Ports of Call	Socotra	P. & O. S. N. Co.....	Nov. 19, at noon.
Manila	Paramatta	Butterfield & Swire	Nov. 23, at noon.
"	Sungkiang	"	Nov. 23.
"	Yuensang	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Nov. 20, at 4 p.m.
"	Loongsang	"	Nov. 22, at 4 p.m.
Manila and Iloilo	Perla	Shewan, Tomes & Co.....	Nov. 20, at 5 p.m.
Marstilles, London, &c.	Oriental	P. & O. S. N. Co.....	Mar. 29, 1902.
"	Malta	"	April 12, 1902.
New York	Manuel Laguno	Shewan, Tomes & Co.....	quick despatch.
New York v. Suez Canal	Kurdistan	Dodwell & Co, Ltd.	Nov. 30.
"	Lennox	"	Dec. 15.
"	Richmond Castle.....	"	Nov. 20.
"	Oromay	"	Dec. 31.
"	Asama	Shewan, Tomes & Co.....	Dec. 30.
Port Darwin, &c.	Acacia	"	Dec. 31.
Tainan	Choyang	Butterfield & Swire	Nov. 30.
Thyra	Butterfield & Swire	"	About Dec. 30.
America Maru	Butterfield & Swire	"	Nov. 28, at noon.
Hongkong Maru	Toyo Kisen Kaisha	"	Dec. 31, at noon.
Nippon Maru	"	"	Jan. 18, at noon.
City of Peking	Pacific Mail S.S. Co.....	"	Dec. 7, at noon.
China	"	"	Dec. 31, at noon.
Doric	O'dental & O'tal S.S. Co.	"	Jan. 9, at noon.
Coptic	"	"	Nov. 20, at noon.
Gaelic	"	"	Dec. 14, at noon.
Java	P. & O. S. N. Co.....	"	About Dec. 7.
Woosung	"	"	About Nov. 13.
Choyang	Butterfield & Swire	"	Nov. 19.
Marquis Bacquehem	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	"	Nov. 19, at 4 p.m.
Lightning	Sander, Wielder & Co.....	"	Nov. 19.
Carinthia	D. Sassoon, Son & Co.....	"	Nov. 19, at 3 p.m.
Halatan	Sander, Wieler & Co.....	"	Nov. 27, p.m.
Guthrie	Douglas, Lapraik & Co.	"	Nov. 20, at daylight.
Kasuga Maru	G. Livingston & Co.....	"	Nov. 21, at noon.
Daljin Maru	Nippon Yusen Kaisha...	"	Nov. 21, at 4 p.m.
Empress of Japan	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha...	"	Nov. 24.
Empress of China	Canadian P'fic R. Co.....	"	Dec. 18, at noon.
Empress of India	"	"	Jan. 15, at noon.
Athenian	"	"	Nov. 20, at noon.
Duke of Fife	"	"	Dec. 4, at noon.
Victoria	Dodwell & Co, Ltd.	"	Dec. 3.
Victoria	"	"	Dec. 17.
Yokohama and Kobe.	Austria	Sander, Wieler & Co.....	Dec. 27.
"	"	"	Nov. 23, p.m.

